

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

REGION 2 290 BROADWAY NEW YORK, NY 10007-1866

September 21, 2012

VIA EMAIL

Agreement No. 197206112-0

Ms. Marlene Donnelly Core Group Co Chair Friends and Residents of Greater Gowanus 460 Sackett Street Brooklyn, NY 11231

Subject: Gowanus Canal Technical Assistance Grant

Dear Ms. Donnelly:

Attached please find a Grant Agreement to assist Friends and Residents of Greater Gowanus in the above-referenced project. Your application dated May 22, 2011, as amended November 4, 2011, January 22, 2012, April 17, 2012 and August 1, 2012, requesting \$50,000 has been approved. Your attention is directed to the Terms and Conditions in the award document. Please pay particular attention to Administrative Condition No. 18 regarding the mandatory training for non-profit recipients.

The forms and guidance you will need to administer your agreement can be found at the EPA website at http://www.epa.gov/ogd/forms/forms.htm. In addition, Technical Assistance Grant resources are available online at http://www.epa.gov/superfund/community/tag/resource.htm. Please note that this agreement reflects our recent reorganization; the Grants and Audit Management Branch now manages assistance agreements.

Please print two copies of the attached agreement in its entirety, sign and date them, retain one for your files and return one to this office. Completed documents must be returned within three calendar weeks of receipt, or within any extension of time as may be granted by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

You have the option of either emailing your signed agreement to Region2_GrantApplicationBox@epa.gov or mailing it to:

Roch Baamonde, Chief Grants & Audit Management Branch U.S. EPA Region 2 290 Broadway, 27th Floor New York, NY 10007

All email attachments must be sent in pdf format. Documents emailed to us in any other format cannot be accepted. Also, be advised that any electronic submissions exceeding 15 Megabytes must be mailed.

We look forward to an early acceptance.

Sincerely,

Donna J. Vizian

Assistant Regional Administrator for Policy and Management

Attachment

cc: Bette Stoltz